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FOR: **IMAGE DATA COMPRESSION DEVICE, IMAGE DATA COMPRESSION METHOD, RECORDING MEDIUM, AND PROGRAM**

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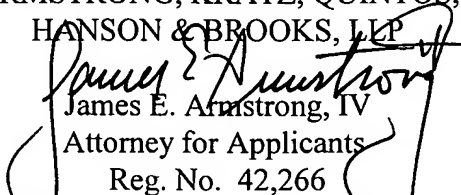
Sir:

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